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Updates to Resources and Forms

The following DWD Issuances have been [posted to the Issuances page](#) on jobs.mo.gov/dwdmain.

Issuance 08-2016 conveys guidance for Local Workforce Development Boards (Local WDBs), Chief Elected Officials (CEOs), and one-stop center required partners to manage creation of a local infrastructure cost-allocation agreement.

Issuance 07-2016 establishes policy for the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Transitional Jobs to be

used statewide by all Local Workforce Development Boards (Local WDB).

Issuance 06-2016 describes the exemption from Unemployment Insurance (UI) reporting requirements for the wages of certain participants in work-relief and work-training programs.

Issuance 02-2016 communicates Missouri's process and criteria for evaluating and certifying comprehensive (full-service) Missouri One-Stop Job Centers (OSJC) under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA).

Issuance 05-2016 describes the exemption from Unemployment Insurance (UI) reporting requirements for the wages of certain participants in work-relief and work-training programs.

Faces of Workforce

Meet some of your [Workforce Development System co-workers](#) from around the State. The staff in this month's newsletter were recently in Jefferson City to attend training.



Marceline Receives Bronze Chamber Challenge Award

The Marceline Chamber of Commerce is the newest member of Missouri's premier workforce development initiative, Show-Me

Heroes Chamber Challenge. Major Michelle Matthews and Chillicothe DVOP, Bobby Barlow presented the Bronze Award to Shelly Herring and Justin Hirniak of the Marceline Chamber. [The Linn County Leader wrote this article about the Chamber Challenge Award.](#)

New Job Center Opens in Springfield

The Missouri Job Center—Springfield recently held a dedication and ribbon-cutting ceremony for its new north-side satellite office, one of the most anticipated projects of the city-led initiative to alleviate poverty in Springfield's Zone 1, called the "Zone Blitz."

The Center's new branch has already served more than 150 individuals since it opened Nov. 21.

The north Springfield Center is housed in the Cox Medical Tower at 1443 N. Robberson Ave, Ste 100 and is open to serve customers Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Santa Makes an Appearance at West Plains Job Center



Santa and Mrs. Claus (portrayed by West Plains DVOP/LVER Steve McCann and wife, Pamela McCann) visited the West Plains Missouri Job Center and other state offices located nearby, to bring good tidings and receive any last minute wishes.

Every year Steve and his wife donate countless hours dressed as Santa and Mrs. Claus to local charitable events, the Salvation Army, nursing homes, and the West Plains Mr. and Ms. Merry Christmas pageant. Steve said that it brings him great joy being able to bring smiles to the faces of both children and adults alike during the holiday season.



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